## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

TQ DELTA, LLC,  Plaintiff,  v.  COMMSCOPE HOLDING COMPANY, INC., COMMSCOPE INC., ARRIS INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, ARRIS GLOBAL LTD., ARRIS US HOLDINGS, INC., ARRIS SOLUTIONS, INC., ARRIS TECHNOLOGY, INC., and ARRIS ENTERPRISES, LLC,  Defendants.		CIVIL ACTION NO.	2:21-CV-00310-JRG (LEAD CASE)
v.  NOKIA CORP., NOKIA SOLUTIONS AND NETWORKS OY, and NOKIA OF AMERICA CORP.,  Defendants.	00 00 00 00 00 00	CIVIL ACTION NO.	2:21-CV-00309-JRG (MEMBER CASE)
NOKIA OF AMERICA CORP.  Third-Party Plaintiff,  v.  BROADCOM CORP., BROADCOM INC., and AVAGO TECHNOLOGIES INTERNATIONAL SALES PTE. LTD.  Third-Party Defendants.	on	CIVIL ACTION NO.	2:21-CV-00309-JRG (MEMBER CASE)

## **ORDER**

Before the Court is the Joint Motion for Clarification of Order Focusing Patent Claims and

Prior Art (the "Motion") (Dkt. No. 153) filed by Plaintiff TQ Delta, LLC ("TQ Delta") and

Defendants CommScope Holding Company, Inc., CommScope Inc., ARRIS US Holdings, Inc.,

ARRIS Solutions, Inc., ARRIS Technology, Inc., and ARRIS Enterprises, LLC (collectively,

"CommScope") and Nokia of America Corp., Nokia Corp., and Nokia Solutions and Networks Oy

(collectively, "Nokia"). In the Motion, the parties dispute whether the Preliminary Election of

Asserted Claims applies per case or across all consolidated cases.

Having considered the Motion, the Court finds and holds that the Order Focusing Patent

Claims and Prior Art (the "Order") (Dkt. No. 128) applies on a per-case basis, such that the Order

shall be applied in each separate case as though no consolidation had previously been undertaken

herein. The parties are to consider such Order as the minimum threshold for narrowing in

these cases, and the parties shall use their best efforts to further narrow the claims, prior art

references, and any defensive theories to the greatest extent possible so as to minimize the

expenditure of necessary resources by both the parties and the Court.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 2nd day of June, 2022.

RODNEY GILSTRAP

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE